said camera being removably connectable with said printer housing portion, said camera being adapted to operate separate and apart from said printer, a display device being incorporated within said camera;

said printer mechanism being incorporated within said printer housing portion, said image being captured by said camera; and

said operation system being incorporated within said printer housing portion, said operation system controlling said camera to select said image for exhibition on said display device as a displayed image, said operation system controlling said printer mechanism to output a physical reproduction of said displayed image.

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(amended) A printer according to claim 8, wherein said printer mechanism prints said displayed image on a printing paper

as said physical reproduction of said displayed image.

3 10. (amended) A printer according to claim 8, wherein said operation system is used to select said image to be printed by said printer mechanism.

4 11. (amended) A printer according to claim &, wherein said display device includes a liquid crystal display.

5 12. (amended) A printer according to claim 7, wherein said displayed image is displayed on said display device.

(amended) A printer according to claim 12, wherein said displayed image is controlled by said operation system.

7 14. (amended) A printer according to claim 13, wherein said operation system includes a shuttle ring, said shuttle ring providing a control to fast-forward said displayed image or to rewind said displayed image.

(amended) A printer according to claim 14, wherein said shuttle ring has a play button integrally disposed therein, said play button providing a control to play back said image displayed on said display device.

9 16. (amended) A printer according to claim 15, wherein said play button has a stop button integrally disposed therein, said stop button providing a control to stop operation of said camera.

(amended) A printer according to claim 12, wherein said operation system includes a pause button, said pause button providing a control to place said displayed image in a state of a still picture.

1) 18. (amended) A printer according to claim 18, wherein said operation system includes a first memory button, said first memory button providing a control to store said image displayed on said display device within a recordable medium of said printer.

(amended) A printer according to claim 1%, wherein said operation—system includes a second memory button, said second memory button providing a control to access said image that has been stored within a recordable medium of said printer.

26. (amended) A printer according to claim 27, wherein said operation system includes an input picture button, said input picture button providing a control to input data indicative of said image into a recordable medium of said printer.

5 22. (amended) A printer according to claim 21, wherein said guide rails being structurally adapted for guiding said camera onto said printer housing portion.

16 28. (amended) A printer according to claim 21, wherein said

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signal input/output terminal includes at least one contact member, said contact member being in electrical contact with said camera to provide a signal between said printer and said camera.

17 24. (amended) A printer according to claim 21, wherein said signal input/output terminal includes at least one contact member, said contact member being in electrical contact with said camera to provide power between said printer and said camera.

25. (amended) A printer according to claim 27, wherein said printer mechanism outputs said physical reproduction of said image being on a paper medium.

(amended) A printer according to claim %, wherein said operation system is disposed on said printer housing portion.

Q0 28. (amended) A printer according to claim 8, wherein said connector includes a locking mechanism, said locking mechanism releasably securing said camera to said printer housing portion.

2/2. (amended) A printer according to claim 2, wherein said printer housing portion includes a signal input and output connection terminal disposed on said printer housing portion, said signal input and output connection terminal electrically connecting said camera attached to said printer housing portion



to said printer mechanism.

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230. (amended) A printer according to claim 29, wherein said printer housing portion has a pair of guide rails, said guide rails being formed at a portion of said printer housing portion to which said camera is attached, and said guide rails guide an electrode terminal disposed on a bottom surface of said camera to the position at which said electrode terminal comes in contact with said input and output connection terminal.

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23 37. (amended) A printer according to claim 2, wherein said camera is of a camera with a liquid-crystal display monitor, and said printer is operated while said image entered into said printer mechanism or the manner in which said printer mechanism is operated is visually confirmed on said display device.

32. (amended) A printer according to claim 8, wherein said operation system includes a shuttle ring for displaying on said display device in a play mode, pause mode, fast-forward mode or rewind mode a picture recorded as continuous motion images.

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operation system includes a memory operation means for storing data indicative of a picture selected from said plurality of pictures recorded as continuous motion images by said camera in a

memory of said printer.

Of 34. (amended) A printer according to claim, wherein said operation system includes input operation means for entering data indicative of picture in a memory of said printer.

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35. (amended) A printer according to claim & wherein said printer supports a camera operation switch and a printer operation switch.

Please add the following new claims.

28 36. (new) A printer according to claim 26, wherein said image is selected from a plurality of pictures, said plurality of pictures being recorded by said camera as continuous motion images.



2937. (new) A printer according to claim 27, wherein said printer is a video printer.

30 38. (new) A printer according to claim 8, wherein said camera is a video camera.

39. (new, previous claim 9) A video printer comprising: a video printer housing portion, a printer mechanism and an

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operation system;

said video printer housing portion having a connector, said connector being structurally adapted to mechanically and electrically attach a video camera to said video printer housing portion;

said video camera being removably connectable with said video printer housing portion, said video camera being adapted to operate separate and apart from said video printer, said video camera having a display device incorporated therein;

said printer mechanism being incorporated within said video printer housing portion, said printer mechanism outputting a physical reproduction of an image, said image being captured by said video camera; and

said operation system being incorporated within said video printer housing portion, said operation system controlling selection of said image displayed on said display device and controlling operation of said printer mechanism,

wherein said printer mechanism prints said image on a printing paper as a hard copy, said image being selected from a plurality of video pictures, said plurality of video pictures being recorded by said video camera as continuous motion images.



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